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September 1 Grain Stocks

Idaho's September 1 wheat stocks in all positions totaled 81.9 million bushels, down 6 percent from the 87.4 million bushels in storage September 1, 2011. According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service, on-farm storage of 30.0 million bushels is down 33 percent from the 44.5 million bushels in storage a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 51.9 million bushels, are up 21 percent from a year ago. Barley stocks in all positions September 1 totaled 44.1 million bushels, down 1 percent from last year's 44.6 million bushels. On-farm stocks totaled 22.0 million bushels, down 15 percent from a year ago when 26.0 million bushels were in storage. Off-farm stocks totaled 22.1 million bushels, up 18 percent from 2011's 18.6 million bushels.

Nationally, all <u>wheat</u> stocks in all positions September 1, 2012, totaled 2.10 billion bushels, down 2 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 573 million bushels, down 9 percent from last September. Off-farm stocks, at 1.53 billion bushels, are up 1 percent from a year ago. <u>Barley</u> stocks in all positions on September 1, 2012, totaled 197 million bushels, up 12 percent from September 1, 2011. On-farm stocks are estimated at 112 million bushels, 20 percent above a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 85.3 million bushels, are 4 percent above September 2011. <u>Oats</u> stored in all positions on September 1, 2012, totaled 85.0 million bushels, 8 percent above the stocks on September 1, 2011. Of the total stocks on hand, 34.1 million bushels are stored on farms, 10 percent higher than a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 50.9 million bushels, 7 percent above the previous year. Old crop <u>corn</u> stocks in all positions on September 1, 2012, totaled 988 million bushels, down 12 percent from September 1, 2011. Of the total stocks, 314 million bushels are stored on farms, down slightly from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 675 million bushels, are down 17 percent from a year ago.